

## EXHIBIT C



November 29, 2016

**The Honorable Anita Brody**

**RE: NFL Concussion Litigation Acknowledgment**

**To the Court:**

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Craig convinced hundreds, if not thousands of former players that supporting the lawsuit, whether they formally joined or not, was the correct thing to do. I truly believe that if not for Craig Mitnick's efforts and passion for their cause, far less of a percentage of retired players around the country would have joined the suit as quickly as they did. It was Craig's passion and detailed knowledge about the lawsuit and its importance that caused players to step up to the plate in order to not only protect themselves, but to also better the game of football by making it a safer sport.

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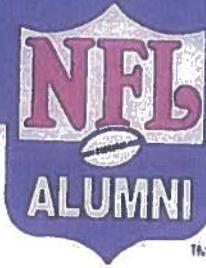
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There is absolutely no doubt in my mind, given my first-hand knowledge, that Craig was instrumental in how quickly the case grew in numbers and how quickly the momentum behind the case increased. I believe him, in working with Chris Seeger, in getting information to our Alumni and to our members was instrumental in letting them make their decisions of not opting out of the suit.

Through educating and keeping our members up to date on the litigation, Craig was consistent from the time the suits were filed and remains consistent in his efforts as the claim process will hopefully now begin. In fact, Craig's efforts were complimented by the passion he always exhibited for the well-being of the players and the ultimate success of the case. During several meetings, as well as conference calls with Alumni and members of the Board of Directors, he was always able to handle players who were adverse to the lawsuit, most of the time changing their dislike for the litigation into support of it.

Throughout the course of the last several years, I have spoken with and met several attorneys involved in the case. Lastly, I must say Craig was the only one who was willing to drop his percentage drastically for all of his clients involved in the lawsuit. I really respected his willingness to take a large cut in commission and for coming to our players' aid.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Joseph Pisarcik".

JOSEPH PISARCIK  
President & CEO  
NFL Alumni Association